

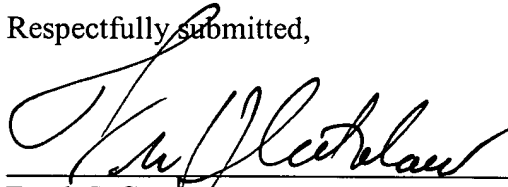
REMARKS

In accordance with the requirements set forth in the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, the entire "Amendments to the claims" section of applicant's amendment is resubmitted. The status identifiers of claims 4 and 5 have been corrected from (previously presented-allowed) to (previously presented).

It is believed that the Response is now compliant and early action is respectfully requested.

It is understood there is no fee due at this time. However, should a fee deficiency have occurred, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-1971 per 37 C.F.R. § 1.25.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Frank J. Catalano", is written over a horizontal line. To the right of the signature, the date "12/4/03" is handwritten.

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Date

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